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## **AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION (AEC)**

From Members of the federal Higgins electorate, Victoria Australia

We object to The Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) proposing to abolish the Division of Higgins, a move that threatens the vibrant and engaged community of the Stonnington city Council area.

Dividing Stonnington City into five different electorates will disrupt local community groups, making it harder for them to advocate for support at the federal level.

This division creates confusion and weakens the collective voice of the residents.

The Federal Division of Higgins has been represented by notable leaders such as Prime Ministers Harold Holt and John Gorton, Treasurer Peter Costello, and Minister Kelly O'Dwyer.

Preserving Higgins honours its historical and political legacy.

The residents of the electorate of Higgins, with their strong community ties, deserve a united local voice. From local sports teams and social groups to thriving businesses and volunteer organizations, the sense of community is vital.

We urge the AEC to reconsider such proposal. Let's keep the federal electorate of Higgins together to preserve our local community.

Peter – Change Organization - 25 June 2024 Higgins, Stonnington City, Victoria. Australia